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## Run Over Rams 48-6

### Vikes are Champs



**PASS PLAY FORMS** — Kim Parkinson, 44, at left, gets set to pass following a pitchback from Mark Doty, 12, in center. Dan Moore, 24, second from left, awaits his blocking assignment. Action was against Harbor Springs, as the Vikings won sole possession of the NMLL title 48-6. (Chuck Bonamic Photo)

All alone at the top.

The Grayling Vikings sailed to a 48-6 victory in their final game against the Harbor Springs Rams last Friday night to take sole possession of first place in the Northern Lower Michigan League.

This season closes out action for the Vikings in the NMLL, with three championships in the four years the league has been formed. The last of the four year record in league action was 22-11, under coach Mike Winland.

Beginning at the 42-yard line, the Vikings will measure the 100-yard line. The Grayling Vikings will measure the 100-yard line. The Grayling Vikings will measure the 100-yard line.

After a long drive, the Vikings scored three touchdowns in the first half, and a fourth in the second half. The Vikings scored three touchdowns in the first half, and a fourth in the second half.

The Vikings put a point on the score board in the third quarter when Fitzpatrick scored on a 17-yard pass interception run, and Parkinson nailed the conversion.

Grayling's final two TD's came in the final period, the first on a 11-yard pass play from Mark Doty to Tobin, and then with about a minute and a half to play, Dan Moore rambled 56 yards with an interception. The conversions were missed.

Tobin set a school record when he hauled in his 12th and 13th pass interception for the season.

**Honesty Still Prevails**

Thanks to the honesty of two local ten year old boys, Linda VanKleeck of Pine Ridge Road, Grayling, got back her purse containing \$185.00.

The purse, which was lost on Saturday, Oct. 30, was found by Scott McEvers, son of Mr. and Mrs. George McEvers and Kerry Korhonen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Korhonen behind Scheer Motors. They turned it in to the sheriff's department who contacted the owner.

**MILITARY MAILBAG**

RMSN Allen C. Carr Jr., O. C. Division, U.S.S. Reeves, D.S.G. 24, FPO San Francisco, Calif. 96601.

Cpl. Gary J. Bielski, 2576775, Eng. Maint. Co., Maint. Bn. 3rd, F.S.B., F.M.F., P.A.C., FPO San Francisco, Calif. 96602.

## A Permit System Needed to Protect River Economy

By Willard Bosserman  
County Extension Director

The Ausable River Watershed outlined proposed a system of permits for canoeing which will protect the river and the economy of the area.

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## Frederic Buck Contest Set

The Frederic Buck Contest will be held November 15 thru Nov. 30. The four prizes to be awarded will go for the 1st deer in, \$25.00; 2nd rack buck, \$25.00; first woman in, \$15.00 and youngest hunter, \$10.00.

You must register and purchase a souvenir key chain to be eligible. These are on sale in all business places in Frederic. The contest headquarters is Newberry's General Store and Mobil Station north of Frederic.

## Gun Mishap Kills Boy, 14

Roy J. Dutton Jr., 14, of Beaver Creek Township died Sunday at Mercy Hospital of an accidental gunshot wound suffered while he was small game hunting with a brother and a friend. According to sheriff's officers, the three youths had crawled onto the tracks of a bulldozer when Dutton's gun slipped from his hand and discharged. The accident occurred just inside Crawford County near the Roscommon County line.

Boy was born in Grand Rapids March 8, 1957 and had resided in Crawford County since he was a baby. He was a ninth grade student at Gerrish-Higgins High School in Roscommon.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dutton of Roscommon; three brothers, Mark, Greg and Robin; and one sister, Rhonda, all at home; his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Barber of Frederic and Mr. and Mrs. James Dutton of Mt. Pleasant.

Funeral services were scheduled at the Seward Chapel in Roscommon Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. with Rev. Father John Tupper officiating. Burial will be in Gerrish Township Cemetery, Roscommon.

## School Deer Season Policy

Students who plan to hunt deer this year, should follow the listed procedure in order to obtain an excused absence:

1. A phone call from the parent.
2. Present a valid deer hunting license.
3. Obtain a pre-excuse and have teacher's sign for the day you will miss.
4. Working students should bring a letter from your employer and your parents and obtain a pre-excuse also.

Mr. Batway

## Cross-Country Ski Clinic Opens Nov. 12

Are you tired of that same old ski? Then give cross-country skiing a try. Though cross-country skiing dates back to the early Scandinavians, Finnish, and Swedish settlers, it was not until recently that it was rediscovered by a growing number of Americans from coast to coast.

Outdoor enthusiasts from one to one hundred can now capture the silent natural beauty of winter's wilderness in a safer more exhilarating way via cross-country skiing.

To help promote the sport, Arvid Henniken, a transplanted Norwegian, began a cross-country ski school last year. "The response was terrific," said Henniken.

One student was a sixty-seven year old man who took a trial lesson and then signed up full-time. "With his doctor's approval," Henniken says, "our trainers are Norwegian and Finnish ski experts who have had years of cross-country skiing experience."

"Because of the growing demand," he says, "we have plans to open ski schools throughout the state of Michigan this year. Our first cross-country ski clinic will open on Friday, Nov. 12 at the Grayling Mercantile on Michigan Ave., starting at 7:30 p.m.

## To Award Numerous Prizes

### Red Coat Round-Up For Red Coats

Grayling and the whole of Crawford County will welcome the deer hunters at the start of Deer Season with Grayling's Annual Red Coat Roundup.

The Chamber mobile office will be set up on the corner of 1-75 Business Loop and Michigan Avenue on Saturday, Nov. 13th, for hunters wanting to register, for information on hunting, and distribution of Crawford County maps to visiting hunters. The mobile office will operate at the downtown location through Sunday night, Nov. 14th, and then move to the Deer Pole at the Grayling Municipal Park on November 15th. The Deer Pole will be open for all hunters in Crawford County, and will close at 6:00 p.m., Tuesday, Nov. 16th.



**BOY SCOUTS IN ACTION** — Boys shown at work at a recent Boy Scout Meeting include from left to right, Bill Kent, Mike Money, Roger Kent, Pat Money, Mr. Avis, Tom Whaley and Sid Canfield. The Boy Scout membership drive will end on November 25, according to Mr. Stenger, Membership Chairman. (Carroll Wert Photo)

## Silver Tea Friday, Nov. 12

Mark Friday, Nov. 12th, on your calendar. It may be your lucky day!

It is the day of the Mercy Hospital Auxiliary's Silver Tea, and there will be a door prize and a drawing for the beautiful hand-framed oil painting of Autumn in the North, donated by the artist, Mrs. Adelaide Lawrence.

The public is invited, so plan to meet your friends in the main dining room of the Shoppemotor Hotel to enjoy coffee, tea and good things to eat.

There will be baked goods on sale and a Christmas counter where you can find those special items for holiday time. There is a fresh supply of the dual "tote" bags everyone has been wanting. And, for that sweet tooth in your family, there will be home-made candy.

Donations may be as large as your heart desires or as small as your purse demands.

Proceeds are banked until a committee, in consultation with Sister Mary Hilja, decides on the purchase of some necessary piece of equipment for the hospital.

In the past, your generosity has helped us do many things to make life easier for sick people. Please drop in at any time from one to four on Friday afternoon.

Helen Wainscott, publicity

## Smorgasbord Dinner Friday, Nov. 19th

The Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints is sponsoring a Smorgasbord Dinner Friday, November 19, at the American Legion Hall. Serving will be from 5:30 to 7:30.

The price of the dinner will be a donation to the building fund for the new church. The menu includes ham, chicken, vegetables, home-made pies, rolls, etc.

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## Sportsmans Club Fish Fry Saturday

The Grayling Sportsman Club will hold a Hunter's Fish Fry Saturday, Nov. 13, with serving from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Sportsman's Club House on Old Lake Road. The price is \$2.00 for adults and \$1.00 for children under 12. The meal will consist of fish, cole slaw, bread and butter, pie and coffee — all you can eat.

A special drive to increase membership in the Ausable District of Lake Huron Area Council of Boy Scouts is now being conducted. Interested boys may obtain more information on exact time and location of the meeting in their community from the school office or by contacting Mr. Doug Smith, Boy Scout Executive in West Branch.

Kirtland's President, Bob Stenger, is currently heading a steering committee formed for this purpose.

Increasing membership in Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts of this area. Volunteers to assist in this project and/or act as pack leaders would be welcomed. Contact the President's Office at Kirtland.

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## Deer Hunting Prospects Less Promising This Year

LANSING — Even if they are blessed with the best of conditions during the November 15-30 year's harsh winter, a cut of firearm season, Michigan's deer hunters will have a hard time matching their 1970 harvest of nearly 69,000 animals, predicts the Department of Natural Resources.

The outlook for a lower kill in 1971 reflects several key factors, including the impact of last year's harsh winter, a cut of nearly 50 percent in the antlerless deer permit quota for the northern Lower Peninsula, and this season's Monday deer opener which is expected to hold early hunting pressure below normal.

In the Upper Peninsula, where an estimated 12,380 bucks were taken last fall, DNR wildlife officials are looking for a generally mediocre season because of worsening winter range conditions and the brunt of last winter which have undercut the region's deer herd.

DNR studies indicate that a sizable percentage of yearling bucks are missing from the Upper Peninsula's herd and that's bad news for hunters because these 12-year-old animals account for the bulk of each season's buck kill.

David Arnold, the DNR's deer specialist, pins the region's scarcity of yearling bucks to poor production in the spring of 1970 and the compounding clout of last winter which took a heavy toll in the Upper Peninsula.

Results of a DNR survey last spring indicate that 9,000 or more whitetails starved in major yarding areas above the Straits during the winter of 1970-71.

Despite those losses, thousands of additional deer could be victimized by another hard winter this year, reports Arnold. He explains that the Upper Peninsula's winter deer range is continuing to go from bad to worse because of steady forest growth and the timber market's shift away from harvesting trees in swampland areas where the animals yard.

In face of this winter's potential deer waste above the Straits, the Natural Resources Commission approved a conservative take of 6,120 antlerless animals in that part of the state.

Arnold speculates that the Upper Peninsula may not field as many hunters as last year because of this season's Monday opener which could discourage some downstate sportsmen from making the trip above the Straits.

In the northern Lower Peninsula, the pre-season deer picture is slightly better than above the Straits.

Arnold sees this season's deer harvest in northern Lower Michigan falling somewhat short of last year's 27,000 bucks and 13,000 antlerless animals. Part of the reason for that is tied to the region's last three severe winters.

That streak of harsh conditions has not caused extensive deer losses on the scale of those in the Upper Peninsula, but it has undermined the health level of northern Lower Michigan's deer herd, reports Arnold. He notes that the physical condition of whitetails in that part of the state is generally not as good as it should be and, on that score, this year's fawn production was below par.

Arnold observes that the herd's winter range is showing some recovery in the southern part of the northern Lower Peninsula, but not enough to produce a ny

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**FREDERIC PINWOOD DERBY WINNERS** — The Frederic Cub Scout Pack 78 held their October pack meeting on October 21 with a Pinewood Derby featuring fire truck racers.

Fire Chief Allen Leng and Rev. Paul Aumiller were the judges of the fire trucks in appearance. Pomeroy Huisman of Den 1, pictured left, was the winner over 15 boys with a very original looking fire truck.

Judges of the race were Rev. Aumiller and Keith Bradstreet with Fire Chief Leng the official starter of the race. Todd Gabriel of Den 1, pictured right, was the Grand Champion racer over the eight racers in Den 1 and six racers in Den 2. Second place winner was Tom Webb of Maple Forest from Den 2.

The other racers are as follows: Den 1: Ted Arnsnoe, Michael Wargo, Lewis Middleton, Jerry Pratt, Maurice Alma and George Keeby. Den 2: Jeff Webb, Todd Harwood, Brian Babbitt, Derrell Babbitt and Terry Burns.

There was a very nice turnout of parents and it is hoped that there will be just as good a turnout at the November 18th pack meeting.

Bonnie Pratt, publicity

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#### CARD OF THANKS

The Moose Club would like to thank everyone that contributed food and prizes for the dinner and Halloween party to make it the big success it was. Thanks to one and all, the cooks, waitresses, bar help, and clean-up committee. Prizes were won by Louise Mikulak, women; and Tom Prill, men.

Tom Prill & Richard Lippard

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#### Griffin, Cederberg Assured by A.E.C. of Prompt Hearings on Midland Nuclear Plant

WASHINGTON, D.C. — U.S. Sen. Robert P. Griffin (R-Mich.) and Representative Elford A. Cederberg (R-Mich.) today received the pledge of the Atomic Energy Commission that it would be ready much earlier than previously expected for additional hearings on the construction license for the long-delayed Midland, Michigan Nuclear Power plant.

"The AEC has informed us that it will be ready for hearings on the proposed emergency core cooling system by mid-December rather than February, as previously expected," Senator Griffin and Congressman Cederberg said in a joint statement.

"We are gratified by what seems to be a new sense of urgency at the AEC — and throughout Washington — to end the unconscionable delays that have blocked vitally needed power, not only in Michigan but across the country."

Senator Griffin and Representative Cederberg arranged three days of meetings last week in Washington at which 16 prominent Midland citizens were able to talk with key federal officials responsible for the development of nuclear power in the nation.

Ten members of the Midland Nuclear Power Committee and six members of the Midland County Board of Commissioners told of their concern for their community's economic future because of unusual delays in licensing of the Midland plant.

"As far as we know, the Midland citizens group is the first in history to petition the federal government advocating approval of a power project opposed by environmentalists," Senator Griffin said. "The presentations made by the Midland citizens group were well documented and convincing."

"Several of the government officials remarked that it was refreshing to hear from a group that is for something for a change."

"These Midland people have a real grievance with their government. There is no excuse for the endless red tape that has snarled licensing procedures to the point where a normal six-month process now takes 18 months and will take longer."

"Meanwhile the power shortage in Michigan increases while Dow Chemical, one of the state's major industrial concerns, continues to expand its operations in other states — and in other countries."

Dr. Wayne E. North, senior pastor of Midland's First United Methodist Church, is chairman of the Midland Nuclear Power Committee.

R. Jerry Bennett, Chairman of the Midland County Board of Commissioners, headed the delegation of six board members. Midland's mayor, Julius Blasy, was also a member of the party. The group of 16 from Midland met with high officials of the Atomic Energy Commission, the Environmental Protection Agency.

#### Steve LaGrow Sails "Around the Horn"

USS HALSEY, Oct. 27 — Navy Petty Officer Second Class Steven J. LaGrow, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley J. LaGrow of 508 Chestnut St., Grayling, has sailed 14,500 miles from San Diego, "around the horn" of South America to Bath, Maine aboard the guided missile frigate USS Halsey.

His ship left San Diego on Sept. 7, and visited Ecuador, Peru, Chile, Argentina, Brazil, Puerto Rico and Norfolk, Va., and arrived in Bath on Oct. 27 for extensive shipyard modernization.

#### Skyline Ski Resort Ready For Winter

Most ski areas have made some improvements and expansion for the coming year. Skyline Ski Resort, just north of Roscommon, has done a great deal to improve the pleasure of the skiers. Last year the capacity of the day lodge was nearly doubled to give the skier more room for dining and lounging.

This year the skiing area has been expanded to add four more wide slopes. This increased the total skiing area about one third. This new west ridge area will be served by two of Skyline's famous, fast moving, totally suspended, rope tows.

All of this, along with the extended parking area, should make many skiers very happy for '72.

Also new this year is a season pass for \$25.00 that will let the holder ski any time Monday through Friday. This also includes Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday evening skiing.



#### Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the City Council held Tuesday, October 26, 1971 at the City Hall.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Derek McEvers at 7:30 p.m.

Councilmen present: McEvers, Thomson, Golinick, Bovee, Forbes.

Councilmen absent: None.

Also present: Nelson A. Miles, City Attorney.

Moved by McEvers, supported by Bovee to correct Paragraph 11 to show that McEvers abstained and Paragraph 13 to show that McEvers supported the motion in the October 11th minutes and approve same as corrected.

Yeas all. The motion carried.

Moved by Forbes, supported by Bovee to approve the minutes of October 15th. Yeas all. The motion carried.

Landfill proposals of Mahlon Riker and Ernie Biscak were reviewed and modified by proponents present. Contract drafts are to be presented for review by the City.

Llwyn Doremire appeared before the Council regarding sewer rates and the hospital water lines. Moved by Thomson supported by Golinick to authorize the City Manager to take steps required to clear up the water lines at the hospital. Yeas all. The motion carried.

Moved by Golinick supported by Forbes to authorize the City Manager to advance \$10,532.80 to South I-75 BL water and sewer project for payment to Richards, Findorff and Richards for engineering fees. Yeas all. The motion carried.

Moved by McEvers supported by Thomson to table the statement from Richards, Findorff and Richards for engineering services for Old 27 North until the next meeting. Yeas all. The motion carried.

Appraisals for Lot 12, Block 7, Roffees Plat were presented: Cornell Realty \$1200; Lovely Real Estate \$1500. Moved by Golinick supported by Forbes to sell Lot 12, Block 7, to Alfred J. Merica and Doris C. Sorenson at \$1350. Yeas: Golinick, Forbes, Thomson, Bovee, Nays: None. McEvers abstained. The motion carried.

Moved by Thomson supported by McEvers to hold a public hearing at 7:30 p.m. January 10, 1972 to amend the zoning ordinance by rezoning Lots 1, 2, Parcel A and B, Block 1, Salling Hanson Plat; Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and Parcel "C" and "D" of Block 2, Salling Hanson Plat; also the South 1/4 of Lot 16, Block 4, Brinks First Plat, Lots 6, 7, 8 and 9, Block 1, Brinks 2nd Plat; Lots 5 and 6, Block 6, Brinks 2nd Plat and the Southwesterly 120 ft. x 120 ft. parcel abutting Mikado Street and Huron Street; and the Southeasterly 120 ft. x 120 ft. parcel abutting Mikado Street and Huron Street in Block 1, Brinks 2nd Plat; from the present zone "R-2" Single Family Residential to zone O-S, Office Service. Yeas all. The motion carried.

Change Order #3 (Lagoon) in the amount of \$2220.00 was presented. Moved by Golinick supported by McEvers to approve. Yeas all. The motion carried.

Moved by Bovee supported by Thomson to recommend that Haloween be observed on Sunday, October 31 in the City. Yeas all. The motion carried.

Mrs. Forbes reported on the Centennial financing. Moved by Thomson supported by Golinick that we purchase 101 Centennial Stock Certificates at one dollar each. Yeas all. The motion carried.

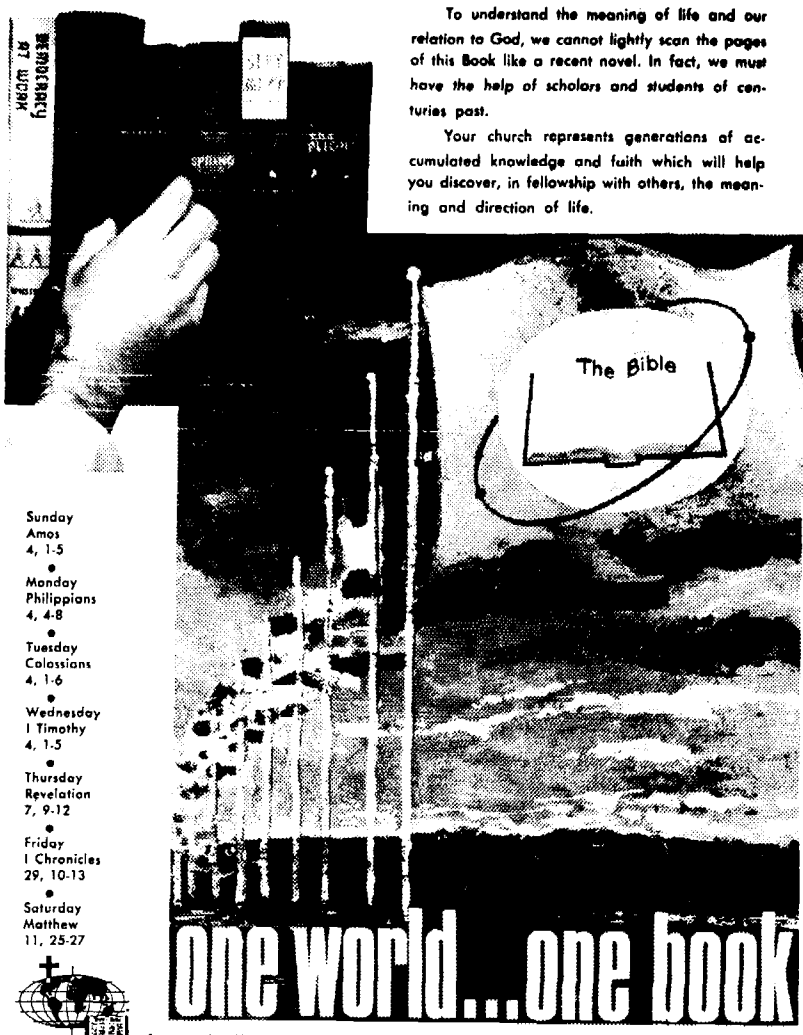
Mr. Miles presented a report on the "Greiner vs City and W. A. Porter" suit advising that the City was removed from the suit.

Moved by Thomson supported by McEvers to adjourn. The meeting adjourned at 9:20 p.m.

William Valusek  
City Manager & City Clerk

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Amos  
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Monday  
Philippians  
4, 4-8  
Tuesday  
Colossians  
4, 1-6  
Wednesday  
1 Timothy  
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## Cost Of Bureaucracy

Economists and government authorities, in past months, have professed bewilderment over failure of business and consumers to respond more enthusiastically to the various steps that have been taken to stimulate economic activity. Fear of continuing inflation has been blamed, in large part, for the lag of confidence. Part of the explanation, however, is due to the soaring mountain of rules and regulations pressing in from all sides.

Professor Yale Brozen of the University of Chicago has observed, free enterprise today in the United States is only half alive. While this may be an unduly pessimistic diagnosis, there is no denying that many industries and millions of individuals must devote a great deal of time and energy to the business of living with the rules. Retail mass distribution, for example, which developed a peak of efficiency in a competitive, free market, must do more than move the highest possible volume of goods at minimum prices. Every retailer must endeavor to meet the needs of his customers — the nation's consumers — and, at the same time, manage to live with the thousands of laws and taxes that narrow the freedom of action of all citizens. While legislators talk of high prices, nothing is ever said about the added costs of doing business in a free enterprise system that is only half free — costs that, in the end, must be passed along to the consuming public.

No other nation has ever enjoyed the dramatic advances in living standards that have accompanied the revolution of American merchandising that has occurred during the last half century. The merchandising technology of today is a product of the free enterprise system. Business and consumer confidence in the future depends upon the preservation of that system.

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## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE  
FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

November 11, 1948

The local Civilian Air Patrol Squadron, that is in the midst of formation, is on the lookout for some interested young men who could be signed up as cadets.

Although the 1948 Michigan deer season opens Monday, Michigan's main street, US-27 is already carrying heavy north-bound traffic. Many cars are hauling trailers piled high with camping and hunting equipment, hurrying to get smoothed out, so Monday morning will be free for hunting.

Dave Lowe of Grayling and John Anthon of Gaylord, section foremen and Chris Jensen of Grayling, retiring from the New York Central employ were honored guests at a party Friday evening at the John Brady cabin on Lake Margrethe. Forty guests were present from Detroit, Jackson, Bay City, Mackinaw City, Vanderbilt, Wolverine and Roscommon, most of them being supervisors and engineers of the N.Y.C. Railroad.

The Dore Manufacturing Company, Inc., of Grayling has closed its doors for business for a complete inventory and reorganization, acting president James Hodgson has announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Giles and son, Michael, of Hazel Park spent a few days at the Clarence Moores summer lodge on Guthrie Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Jacks and daughter, Linda, of Ecorse, also Mr. Nicholas Naster of Detroit were guests of the Clarence Moores for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Durga and family of Williamsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Quick of Flint, Dr. Ralph Dorman of Traverse City and Ret. Ralph Hanna, Jr., of Fort Knox, Ky., were guests at the Ralph Hanna home over the weekend. Ret. Ralph Hanna Jr., is spending several days at the home of his parents, enroute from Fort Knox, Ky., to Tucson, Arizona, where he will enter medical school.

Guests Friday and Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hayes at Summerhaze down river were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Branch of Lansing, Mrs. C. J. Stornant and children and W. Grossman of Chelsea spent Sunday and Monday. Other recent guests were Mrs. Hayes' sister, Mrs. C. E. Stricker of Detroit and aunt, Mrs. B. Welch and Mrs. G. Welch of Keego Harbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Piper and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Strong attended the Michigan State vs. Marquette football game in East Lansing Saturday, and Sandy and Bobby Strong and Holly Piper visited the Ronald MacDonald family in Indian Hills.

Mrs. John Selesky and Mrs. J. L. Martin spent last Thursday in Traverse City in attendance at the Red Cross institute.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Murray and daughter, Barbara of Jackson, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Doner.

Mrs. Jesse Billings arrived home last Thursday from a three week visit in Port Huron, Detroit, Marine City and Canada. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baker accompanied her home and returned to their home in Marine City on Saturday.

Mrs. Willard Cornell was a substitute teacher for Mrs. Charles Owen at the South Side School the first of the week.

Ret. Don Canfield is expected home on a furlough from Fort Knox, Ky., in about two weeks.

Fritz Golmeck and Richard Niederer are both at home visiting their parents while on furlough.

Art and Viola Beckman of Detroit spent the weekend at their new cabin east of Grayling, on M-72.

Ella Mae Cook entertained 12 little girls at a Halloween party at her home. Games were played. Bobbing for apples was won by Mary Richardson and Yvonne Millikin, for the game of lucky by Jean Cook and Norma Bastine. Later Mrs. Winslow served a variety of Halloween candies and cookies.

Mrs. Lucy Hewitt has been spending three weeks here with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. George Schaible. On Saturday her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mings came and she accompanied them home to Lansing.

O. P. Schumann announces the sale of the McCane property on the AuSable River, south of Frederic to Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Fisk of Essexville.

New additions to local business places are a new theater-type marquee over the entrance of Spike's Keg O'Nails, and Recreation and a new coat of paint on the front of Ron's Hardware, which really dresses up the appearance.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gildner are the proud parents of a daughter born November 5. She will be known as Kristine Kathleen. She weighed 6 pounds 14 ounces. Her mother, Mrs. Geo. Severn of Cass City is caring for her.

Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson and family of Rosebush spent Thursday and Friday with the Hemming Peterson and Robert Feldhauser families.

James Osborn of Flint visited at the John and Frances Wilcox home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bigham of Frederic were down here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bigham on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pram came from Pontiac in their new Chevrolet to spend the weekend with Mrs. Bessie Cook and Erv Roe in Frederic.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weaver and children, Mr. and Mrs. Beck of Buchanan spent the weekend at the Marlin Weavers.

The Souvenir Works in Frederic are adding a good sized building to their factory.

The DuBois Brothers truck of Ithaca took home a load of snow fence from the Winger Snow Fence Company, North of Frederic, also Kalkaska County is getting ready for winter, taking home a large amount of snow fence Wednesday.

Anyone wanting wood from the Ruff Lumber Co. should order now as they will be closed the first week of deer season.

46 YEARS AGO —

November 12, 1925

Mr. and Mrs. William Feldhauser have sold their farm in Maple Forest to Charles Brooks of Ann Arbor and have purchased a residence in Ann Arbor.

Brent Johnson who has been the efficient and obliging pharmacist at the Central Drug Store for the past year, left this morning for Jackson, where he has purchased a drug store.

Miss Fedora Montour was in Lansing a few days last week where she has gone to accompany Miss Nora Humphrey who is taking the state examination for nurses after having completed her course in training at Grayling Mercy Hospital.

Mrs. James Husted of Lovells will open her home on the AuSable for a box social and dance next Thursday night, to be given as a Red Cross benefit.

Mrs. Lawrence Roberts and little daughter left for Portland the latter part of the week to reside. Mr. Roberts is employed there.

Mrs. James Olson and daughter, June, returned to their home in Oxford, Monday, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peterson.

Mrs. Elsie Pettit is spending the week in Detroit.

John Highland and family have moved into Frederic for the winter occupying the house recently vacated by Ray Armstrong.

The George Sheldon family are now occupying the Bert Allen house in Frederic. Mr. Allen having moved to Owosso.

Miss Ester Barber, who is teaching school in Maple Forest visited at her home in Frederic last weekend.

Mrs. Lillian Sparkes was hostess to the Goodfellowship Club on Monday.

As a little hint of what Crawford County can do, we are glad to report that Earl Annis of Beaver Creek took a ribbon and cash prize of \$1 on his Roxbury George Derry who is employed here spent Sunday at his home in Cheboygan.

Russett apples at the Top O' Michigan Apple and Potato Show held last week in Gaylord.

Of interest to Grayling friends is the marriage of Arthur J. Karpus, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Karpus of Bay City, former residents here to Miss Angelina Superczynski.

A new cement floor is being laid in the county road commu-



**NEW CHAMBER MEMBERS:** New owners of Kellogg's Corners are shown by David Sabin, Membership Chairman of the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce. Joan and Larry Matlis are from New Boston, Mich., where Larry was a Microfilm Technician for Wayne County and Joan worked for the Post Office. They opened their store, located at M-72 East and Wakeley Bridge Road, in March and now carry a full line of groceries and meats, handle all types of sporting goods, and Marathon gasoline.

## DNR Suggests Guidelines For Lakewfront Property Owners

By Willard Bosserman  
County Extension Director

Frank Vining, Water Resources Commission, Cadillac presented some guidelines for lakewfront owners at a recent Gerrish Citizens committee meeting. The committee is headed by Otto Krause, a Higgins Lake property owner.

Vining pointed out that the primary responsibility for the water quality of inland lakes lies with the cities, villages or townships in which they are located.

The prepared guidelines explain the role of plant nutrients in the ageing process of lakes. Phosphates in particular cause eutrophication a e i n g problems. Phosphates are present in human waste and detergents. Nutrients stimulate algae and water growth, creating undesirable shoreline condition for recreational use.

Septic tank effluent is suspected of contributing nutrients to our lakes and streams. The amount depends upon soil type, depth to water table and other factors. Lakewfront owners who have septic tank facilities should take special care to minimize the volume of detergents used for laundering. The amount of phosphates detergents used can be greatly reduced through experimentation.

Shoreline lawns are not recommended for better protection of water quality and surrounding lake vegetation, the shoreline should be left in its natural state. Biologists are most concerned about fertilizer runoff and seepage to the lakes from shoreline

lawns. A sand buffer beach strip will help. If you already have an established lakewfront lawn, build a sand buffer beach strip between it and the water line.

Silt and debris, washed from the land around construction sites, lake shores, and road ditches blanket fish spawning beds and food supplies. Steep banks and exposed soil require immediate seeding and mulching or planting of native vegetation to deter erosion.

Pesticide and herbicide spraying on and around the lakes can damage the environment if improper procedures or products are used. To safeguard Michigan waters against possible contamination from chemical weed killers, the DNR is now requiring permits for the use of any aquatic herbicide to be applied in public lakes, ponds or streams.

Insect spraying near lakes should be applied with caution, giving wind direction and approved pesticides first consideration.

Litter poses a continuous pollution problem for our lakes and streams. Every citizen should be reminded that litter accumulated on ice-covered lakes during the winter will end up in the water or on the beach in the spring.

Rehabilitation of lakes by dredging or other means is extremely expensive. It is far better to slow the eutrophication by everyone doing their little bit than to try to rehabilitate at a later date.

Next week, "Lake Carrying Capacity."

## Jolly Gals Hobby Club

The Jolly Gals hobby club held their October meeting at the home of Mary Houle on Thursday evening, Oct. 28. The evening program was spent working on the Christmas projects.

Della Robia Trees and a large hanging Christmas ornament balls. Mrs. Donna Hubbard was a guest of the club and also worked on the project. Merle Carlson won the penny prize.

The November meeting will be held on Nov. 18 at the home of Merle Carlson.

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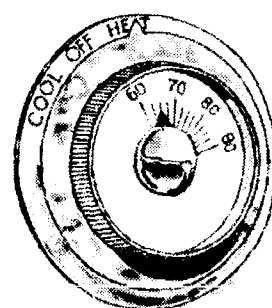
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## County Home Rule Battle Surfacing

The tip of an iceberg has surfaced in local governmental relations, with much more of the knotty problem certain to emerge as time passes.

One of the more attractive parts of Michigan's "new" state constitution adopted in 1963 was the provision that Michigan counties could adopt their own individual charters for self-government.

This provision was put in the constitution to recognize the need for experimentation along with local control of local destiny. The theory was that our identical form of county government may not necessarily fit each of Michigan's 83 counties, and therefore the residents of a county, through their own county charter, should be able to set up the type of county government they want for self-government.

But since the constitution was approved in 1963, not a single county has attempted to write its own charter.

There has been some movement, however—like right now.

A few weeks ago, the state legislature held hearings on two bills proposed to permit revamping of county government structure. The backers of the bills were few; the opponents were many.

But this is a problem that won't go away by itself. There will be more and more movement toward revising county structure.

One bill now current, introduced by Rep. Thomas Ford of Grand Rapids, spells out how counties would go about adopting a charter. The Ford plan also would permit counties to take over considerable power now vested in cities and other local units. The tax limit of counties, according to some interpretations, could go as high as 25 mills under the Ford bill. Presently elected offices—like those of clerk and sheriff and others—could be made appointive or kept elective, combined or limited in function.

The other current bill, offered by Sen. Carl Pursell of Wayne County, is even more drastic.

The Pursell bill would permit a county director of commissioners, either by itself or after a public vote, to establish the office of county manager. Administrative power would be centralized in the county manager, who could be either elected or appointed by the commissioners, depending on which Pursell route a county would choose to take. Duties of most present officers would be changed; the sheriff, for example, would lose his role in law enforcement and keeping a jail, being limited instead to serving civil processes and keeping order in the court. The law enforcement function primarily would come under the manager.

As could be expected, spokesmen for most presently elected county officers oppose one of both of the bills.

The Michigan Association of Counties—made up of county boards of commissioners—favors the bills, testified A. Barry McGuire, executive director of the association.

"Counties need modern tools and modern approaches for the 20th century. These are permissive bills—not mandatory—and I think both should be adopted."

Another backer was Robert E. FitzPatrick, chairman of the Wayne County Board of Commissioners; as a matter of fact, the charge that the bills are designed primarily to help Wayne County out of its governmental woods probably has some merit.

But the opponents: Well, they don't like the bills at all.

"An abomination," commented one local elected official. "A blatant attempt to completely subvert the power of the voters of any county in Michigan."

"Tyrannical, dictatorial, cruel, confiscatory, destructive," claimed Joseph A. Parisi, executive director of the Michigan Township Association. "A classic example of new, wild experimentation with a system of government proven over 1,200 years."

The theory of the 1963 constitution is probably correct, but implementation is another matter. The Ford and Pursell bills are two early attempts to get something going; neither one likely will be adopted in its present form. More ideas, more study, more discussion are needed.

But the fight will continue both ways—to try something new, or to keep the old and tested and, in many areas, found wanting.



by MARY LEE

Retiring may not be in your immediate future, but how about re-tiring? Now there is a thought to make the average woman cringe. But maybe you do know what brand of tires to buy for your car and where, and whether you want bias ply, bias belted or radial. If so, this discussion is not for you.

But if you need help in re-tiring, it's a good idea to start by checking your present tires. Note any information and numbers on the sidewalls, and examine the treads to see how they have worn as an indication of wheel balance.

Then you'll have to consider whether you want over-size tires, whitewalls or black, and other factors such as bias ply. That refers to the layers of strengthening material underneath the tread.

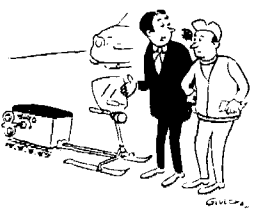
Bias-ply tires are adequate for conventional driving, but they may not last as long nor handle as well as the bias-belted types, which cost more. Radials are noted for toughness but unless you are a hard driver, most salesmen are not likely to recommend them for your car.

Another important decision is whether or not to have your new tires balanced. If they are not balanced, they can be ruined in short order. So, okay, you want them balanced—will it be static or dynamic balancing? Static costs about \$1.50 to \$2 a tire while dynamic is about \$4 to \$5.

Static unbalance is what happens when your wheels bounce up and down. Dynamic unbalance produces a side-to-side wobbling. Most out-of-balance conditions are a combination of both. So, while an unbalanced condition may be corrected with the less expensive static system, you are safer with dynamic balancing which eliminates both problems.

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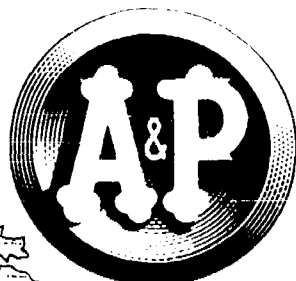
For most, however, retirement brings two changes: there is no job to check in for each weekday morning; monthly income is somewhat reduced.

If you have your health and the ambition, you can get a job. Part-time or full-time. They are not overly plentiful, but they can be found. Many employers like to hire the retired. They don't need full-time help. Retirees have no time obligations and can be available at odd working hours.

Where income is concerned, it is a matter of adjustment. Expenses are less in retirement. Incidental expenses involved in getting to work are no longer. Depending upon the type of job, such things as clothing, club memberships, entertainment costs, etc., are no longer a part of the cost of living.

If you are approaching retirement, consider what your situation will be in these two areas. They are not all of it. There is much more to think about. But they are important enough that you should give them some serious thought, then take some manner of action before the actual day of retirement.

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1 cup water  
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1 to 2 tomatoes, peeled and finely diced  
1/2 cup shredded Cheddar cheese  
Brown ground beef in frying pan, separating into small chunks. Pour off drippings. Add taco seasoning mix and water. Bring to boil, reduce heat and cook 10 to 15 minutes, stirring occasionally. Heat taco shells according to package directions. Place approximately 1/2 cup beef mixture in each taco shell. Add equal amounts of lettuce to each and top with 1 tablespoon diced tomato and 1 tablespoon shredded cheese. 5 servings, 2 tacos each.



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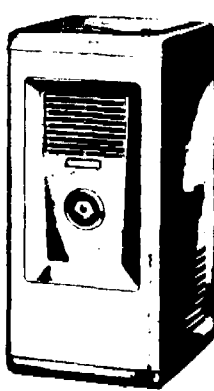
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2 tablespoons molasses  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1/2 teaspoon ginger  
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon  
1 quart vanilla ice cream  
1/2 cup chopped pecans  
6 baked pastry tart shells  
Combine pumpkin, sugar,  
molasses, salt, ginger and cin-  
namon. Soften ice cream and  
fold into pumpkin mixture.  
Mix well. Place 1/2 cup mixture  
into each tart shell. Sprinkle  
with chopped nuts. Freeze un-  
til firm. Filling can also be  
frozen in a baked 9-inch pie  
shell. 6 servings.

## 'If It Fitz . . .' Another One Of Those Days

by JIM FITZGERALD

It was another one of those days when nothing went right and I  
knew the world was against me.

For one thing, Michigan State lost another football game.  
It has been 20 years since I left that school. It has grown way  
too big. Its fancy buildings are full of youngsters learning  
"business administration," whatever that is, while what the  
world needs now is more plumbers. I resent the expensive  
brochures which come regularly through the mail, seeking cash  
from alumni. The football players are nothing more than paid  
assassins, trading their muscle and speed for a diploma and a  
chance to pull the brass ring out of the Super Bowl.

But yet, every autumn Saturday I agonize along with old MSU,  
exulting in its touchdowns and despairing in its fumbles. I can't  
help it. Why is that, doctor?

After the game came dinner in a fancy restaurant. The  
waitress took our drink order and became invisible. I had  
yearned for a drink since MSU fell two TD's behind in the second  
quarter.

"Where is that waitress," I whispered to my wife.  
"Don't scream," she said. "People are looking. And it isn't  
her fault Michigan State has a terrible team."

About a week later, the waitress materialized. I welcomed her  
back and asked her why she hadn't dropped us a postcard. She  
smiled and handed me a glass containing whiskey and soda. I  
had ordered whiskey and water. I started to sob.

The steak wasn't rare enough and the people at the next table  
were loudmouthed Notre Dame fanatics. I dropped soft butter  
on my new suit and the most obnoxious bore in the place was an  
old schoolmate who wanted to relive the days when he was a  
basketball star and I had 500 pimples on my nose. It was that  
kind of a day.

And that's not the worst of it. The worst part had been getting  
out of the house, five hours earlier. At the last minute our two  
teenage kids had informed us we couldn't leave because they  
needed chaffing. Chris had singing rehearsal in the af-  
ternoon and a church supper in the evening. Eddie had to go to a  
shopping center and to a football game. How were they going to  
get there if their selfish parents took the car and left town?

I told them I didn't care, so goodbye. I was a real grump and I  
didn't even look back as I drove away. As I explained to my wife,  
those darn kids expect too much. They're not going to run my  
life, by God.

As usual, my wife wasn't convinced. Throughout the day she  
kept muttering little worry-words about the wheel-less plight of  
her poor little children. Which just made me grumpier. By the  
end of dinner I had made it clear the whole day had been a pain  
and the biggest pain of all was caused by those damn kids.

As we left the restaurant, a young boy sped out the door ahead  
of us. He was racing his parents to their car. They were all  
laughing and having a great time. The boy was about 13, the  
same age as our son.

And this laughing boy was doing his racing in a wheelchair. He  
didn't have any legs.

It was another one of those days I knew the world had been so  
very kind to me.

## Parents Know the Drug Threat

The Child You Save  
May Be Your Own

Today's Subject: Some Other Drugs  
Most Commonly Abused

Today we will go over some of the drugs most commonly  
used and abused so we will all be familiar with terms and types  
for later discussion.

**ORAL AMPHETAMINES:** These are stimulants. On the  
street they are referred to as "Bennies," "Whites" (round and  
white). Also in this category are "Dexies" (green and white  
capsules) and "Hearts" (green, heart-shaped tablets). These are  
what are commonly called "pep pills" or diet pills. Taken  
orally, Amphetamines stimulate the central nervous system,  
the brain and spinal column. Users, under the influence of these  
drugs, will usually be argumentative, overactive, unusually  
talkative, generally unable to eat much, unable to sleep, and  
show a marked release of inhibitions. (It is not unusual for one  
under the influence of these drugs to suddenly remove his  
clothing for no reason.)

Users usually demonstrate mental confusion, unpredictable  
and irrational behavior, even violent behavior may result. Use  
is biologically harmful too because it destroys body reserves  
and makes the user extremely vulnerable to disease. These  
are illegally available on the "street market" (about 8-10 for \$1)  
yet many youngsters obtain oral Amphetamines from the home  
medicine chest (parents' pep or diet pills).

Note: Most "street market" (black market) Amphetamines  
are made by illegal laboratories, often by experimenting ama-  
teurs, using imbalanced chemicals in unsterile surroundings.

**INJECTED METHAMPHETAMINES:** These are referred  
to, among other terms, as "Speed" or "Meth" and are far more  
potent, faster acting and, of course, extremely harmful. Users  
on injected (intravenously) Methamphetamines are usually ex-  
tremely confused, very unpredictable and irrational. Violent  
behavior is common and toxic psychosis (sick and insane) may  
result. Sometimes users get on a "Speed" or "Meth" run. A  
"run" is an intravenous injection as often as every 4 hours for  
3 to 6 days, with no eating and no sleeping. During these per-  
iods the user is extremely overstimulated and out of control,  
or in terms of the street he is "strung-out" or "up-tight." And  
he will show acute signs of paranoia — he sometimes collects  
weapons because he is convinced that people are plotting his  
death. On occasion a user gets the feeling he must "kill or be  
killed." A zoom lens effect of the eyes (like a camera zoom  
lens) makes the user even more paranoid because objects and  
people loom up before him, disappear and alarmingly reappear.

When injections are stopped after a "run," the user "crash-  
es" — this means he goes into a period of hallucinations and  
deep sleep coma lasting from 18 to 48 hours. He awakens fam-  
ished, eats huge amounts of food, particularly sweets and  
liquids. He is extremely fatigued, very susceptible to disease  
and deeply depressed. At this point, many users will take an  
oral Amphetamine to get going again.

"Speed" is available on the "street market" in papers, a  
small paper package, at about \$3 to \$5. It sells for about \$100  
an ounce. Speed aggravates any heart condition and can cause  
strokes in susceptible people. It is toxic to any healthy heart  
and also to the blood vessels as it increases heart rates, blood  
pressure and can cause shock and death!

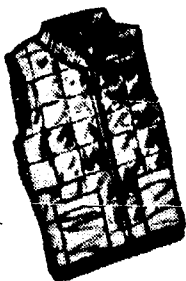
Another powerful stimulant is Cocaine. Its effects on the  
body and mind may even exceed those of Speed. Cocaine, an  
extremely hazardous drug, is being imported in increasing vol-  
ume from South America and Cuba and is being used at alarm-  
ing rates by young people. (A gram costs \$40 to \$50 and makes  
10 capsules.)

Let's go further into drugs next week. We have more infor-  
mation to cover on the subject that will be beneficial for you to  
know. If you already know this data, it will be helpful to brush  
up on it.

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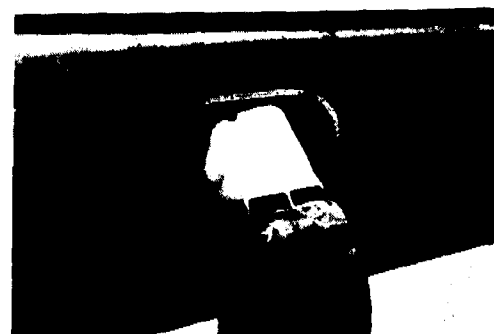


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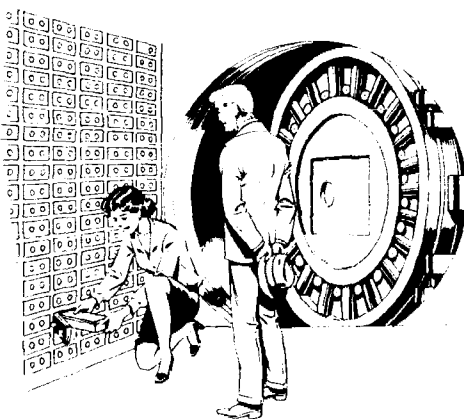
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## Jack Pine's Stump

As I write this, it is late at night and I am in a hotel room far from Grayling. A weekend to spend in a strange town isn't exactly an appealing prospect. A limited amount of money, a wee bit of principle and the prospect of Saturday and Sunday work will probably dictate that I spend my free time watching T.V., and my meal time watching waitresses. But what really gets me is that I had to give up a long looked forward to bowhunting trip.

— JP —

Deer hunting season opens Monday, and it is hard to predict what we'll have in the way of hunters. Probably not as many as in previous years. Monday is a lousy day to open the season. Besides, we haven't the deer we had in previous years. But don't jump to the conclusion that our present deer herd size is due to hunting pressure. It's not. In fact we have at least a couple hundred thousand more deer than we had sixty or seventy years ago. And this is due mainly to the sportsmen who voluntarily requested Federal taxation on their arms and ammunition. This tax is to be used solely for wildlife restoration and management. And don't blame it on the D.N.R., either, an organization which has shown incredible stamina in its attempts to balance deer herds with available food supply. Blame it on food. Food only. This area couldn't support the number of deer it had, so the deer moved south into the farming country where food was and is relatively plentiful these days. You know, people aren't too much different when you come right down to it. If a man can't make a living and provide food for himself, he'll move to where he can. The Okies of Oklahoma and others who left the great dust bowls of the depression years, were merely looking for food. Animals aren't human, to be sure, but I'm not sure that humans aren't animals. And as such, we probably should require some sort of professional management, too.

— JP —

Speaking of animals, I have in the past few days, been spending time reading. This is usually done very late at night or early



in the morning. Anyway, I have come across two very interesting items which — to fill up space and provide my readers with opening — conversation gambits, I pass on free of charge.

— JP —

According to a book on the big cats of Africa, the tuft of hair on the end of the lion's tail conceals a nail or a claw. It's use hasn't really been determined, but it is there. So watch out for a lion's tail. Along the same line, I was reading an article by Lowell Thomas in the new Saturday Evening Post. It was all about elephants. Some man in Africa was recounting his life with elephants and it was truly an interesting story to a guy from Grayling who doesn't know to many elephants. Anyway the gestation period for an elephant does not run the five to ten years, as you will hear some people say, (nor does it run 210 days, which some guy tried to tell me yesterday). Rather, the gestation period varies, depending on the sex of the animal to be born. The females are born in just 18 months, but the males take longer. They take 22 months. But then I suppose the quality is higher in the longer-run elephants. Man can learn much from the animals.

— JP —

Sorry this column is so short this week, but I've had to write it by hand — a truly laborious and painful experience for one who uses a typewriter. Besides that the atmosphere is awful where I am and I wish to hell I was back in Grayling. Guess I'll go downstairs and watch a waitress.

Jack Pine

## Obituaries

### Saturday Services for Fred R. Welsh, 84

Fred R. Welsh, 84, of Lake Margrethe passed away Wednesday, Nov. 3, at the Extended Care Facility of Mercy Hospital after an extended illness.

Mr. Welsh was born in Lakeview, Mich. March 23, 1887. He married the former Jane Secor of Bay City in 1914 and they came to Grayling where he was associated with Kerry and Hanson Flooring Co. He was very active in community affairs and served on the planning commission of Mercy Hospital.

He was a life member of Grayling Lodge #356 F & AM, a fifty year member of Grand Lodge, a member of the Elf Khurafah Shrine of Saginaw, and a life member of the Bay City Consistory.

Surviving are his wife and five children: Mrs. Douglas B. (Betty) Stirling of Tryon, N.C.; Thomas R. Welsh of Grayling; Fred C. Welsh of Gaylord; Robert R. Welsh of Grayling; and Mrs. Don E. (Nelle) Koepfen of Cass City. He is also survived by twelve grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. One daughter, Mrs. Gail Davenport, preceded him in death.

Funeral services were held at two o'clock Saturday at the Michelson Memorial Church with Rev. Paul Frederick officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery. Masonic services were held under the auspices of Lodge #356. Special memorial cards are available for the Michelson Memorial Church.

Serving as honorary pallbearers were T. P. Peterson, Otto Nielson, John LaMotte, Otto Failing, Carl Johnson and Dr. C. G. Clippert. Pallbearers were members of the Masonic Lodge.

### Services Sunday for Former Resident

Funeral services were held Sunday at Cedar Lake Academy for Mrs. Ada M. Papendick, 66, of Cedar Lake. Mrs. Papendick, a former resident of Grayling and Beaver Creek, passed away Thursday, Nov. 4. Burial was at Vestaburg.

Mrs. Papendick was born April 29, 1905 in Maple Forest Township. She is survived by 11 children, numerous grandchildren and great grandchildren; one brother, Nels Johnson of Grayling and an aunt, Mrs. Ruby Annis of Grayling. Her husband, Raymond, preceded her in death. Attending the funeral services from here were Nels Johnson, Ruby Annis, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Annis, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Papendick, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Papendick, Mrs. Beatrice Gehring, Mrs. Whitley Madsen and LeRoy Papendick.

## BITS O' TALK

Jack Perry and daughters Rose Marie and Ronda of Union Lake were at their cabin at the lake for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mattoon of Pontiac visited their niece Wanda Cardinal over the past weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Lapka left Monday for their home in Florida.

Mrs. Robert Sorenson and Mrs. William McLeod entertained the Just Us Club at a Halloween Eve dinner and party at the McLeod home. Decorations were in the Halloween motif and games were played. Winners of the contests were Mrs. William LaGrow, Mrs. Charles Moshier and Wesley LaGrow.

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Mrs. William McLeod entertained several friends of Mrs. Laura McLeod's at an early birthday party last Thursday afternoon. The McLeods spent the weekend in Clawson and Laura celebrated her birthday Sunday at the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. George Schroeder. Mr. and Mrs. Dick McLeod and family of Mio spent the weekend here with his brother, Jon.

### YOUTHS ATTEND PETOSKEY RALLY

Halloween was observed by 12 young people from Grayling and five adults who attended "Scream in the Dark" in Petoskey, sponsored by the Youth for Christ organization. After being thoroughly frightened by a barn full of "spooks" there was a concert by a tremendous group, "The Energi-Pac", who travel around the country singing, playing, and witnessing to their belief in Jesus Christ. After the concert the group supped at a restaurant in Petoskey and were frightened again when several of the "spooks" came in to eat.

Young people attending were Pat Lifford, Randy Bailey, Bill Johnson, Mike Sparks, Russ Papendick, Wayne LaChappelle, Roger Palmer, Dennis Wakeley, Tom Ray, Don Ewald, Grant Hayter, and Debbie Moon. The sponsors from Michelson Methodist Church were Jr. Otto, Neil and Shirley Byce and Ernie and Helen Moon. The youth fellowship group hopes to return next year with an even larger group to "Scream in the Dark."

Helen Moon, publicity

## Missionaries To Visit M. M. Church



## KIRTLAND'S FLAG FOOTBALL ENDS

The Student Activities Flag Football season has ended at Kirtland Community College for the Fall 1971 season.

The Dirty Dozen walked away with top honors as they went undefeated with a 5-0-1 record. Grayling was represented by team members Larry and Gary Sidebottom, Dale Papendick, and Barry Hatfield; Tawas by Mike Guann and Bill Coleman; Roscommon by Chuck Seppala and Evert by Arron Maney and Dennis Druzman.

The Student Senate of Kirtland Community College recognized the team with a permanent trophy that will be located in the lobby of the Learning Resources Center.

The Kool Klucks Clan finished second with a 3-3-0 record and followed closely behind was the Vets Club — 2-3-1. M.A.D. finished last with a 0-4-2 record.

Individual scoring leaders were led by Jim Cahill (West Branch), Terry Schalk (Midland), and Larry Sidebottom (Grayling) with a 7, 6 and 5 touchdowns respectively.

A Bowling League of Kirtland Community College students began recently in Roscommon at the Cherven Lanes on Thursdays at 9 p.m.

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## MASONIC ANNUAL MEMORIAL SERVICE

Worshipful Master Calvin Knowles stated that Grayling Lodge F & AM #356 will hold its Annual Memorial Service in the Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church, Grayling, on Sunday, Nov. 14th at 4:00 o'clock p.m.

This is an open Memorial Service to commemorate the past years deceased brothers of Grayling Lodge.

The brothers so memorialized will be Dr. John F. Cook, Wilbert E. Simpson, Dr. Ralph A. VanVleet and Fred R. Welsh Sr. All relatives, friends and any others interested in paying tribute to these brothers are welcome to attend.

The following will take part: Forrest Annis, Service Director; Charles Fick, Senior Wardens; James Hough, Junior Wardens; Lerne J. Douglas, Chaplain; Arnold Stancil, Soloist; Jenny Annis, Organist; also Earl Burns and Elmer Fenton. This is an impressive service and the public is invited.

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# Audited Financial Statements City of Grayling Grayling, Michigan

August 16, 1971

Mayor and City Council  
City of Grayling, Michigan

We have examined the balance sheets of the various funds of the City of Grayling as of June 30, 1971, and the related statements of revenues and expenses and fund equities for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, the accompanying balance sheets and statements of revenues and expenses and fund equities present fairly the financial position of the various funds of the City of Grayling as of June 30, 1971, and the results of their operations for the year then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applicable to governmental entities, applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding fiscal year.

## BALANCE SHEET - GENERAL FUND CITY OF GRAYLING June 30, 1971

Cash	\$ 23,955
Certificate of deposit	50,000

## Road Commissioners Minutes

October 22, 1971

A regular meeting of the Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners held in their office in Grayling, Michigan. Present: Chairman Shook, President, Members present: Commissioners R. E. Shook, Ervin E. Richter and Harold T. Johnson. Engineer Manager John M. Keir and Superintendent Norman H. Felhauser. Absent: none.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read. A motion was made by Comm. Richter, supported by Comm. Johnson that the minutes be approved as read. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

Payroll No. 21 in the amount of \$11,063.50 and Vouchers No. 1876 to 1895 covering materials in the amount of \$4168.76 were presented for approval. A motion was made by Comm. Johnson, supported by Comm. Richter that Vouchers No. 1876 to 1895 be approved and warrants ordered drawn in their respective amounts. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

A discussion was held on the specifications for the 3 new pickup trucks to be advertised for, and a review was made of the tentative revised specifications for platted areas.

The Commissioners, Engr. Mgr. Keir and Supt. Felhauser made a trip of inspection over Military and Fletcher Roads and over Old 27 South. There being no further business a motion was made and supported to adjourn. All voted in favor. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned.

/s/ R. E. Shook, Chrm.  
/s/ Florence S. Douglas, Sec'y

October 28, 1971  
A special meeting held to attend a meeting of the Vacationland Conference of Road Commissioners, Engineers and Superintendents held at Gladwin, Michigan. Commissioners R. E. Shook and Ervin E. Richter and Engineer Manager John M. Keir attended the meeting.

/s/ R. E. Shook, Chrm.  
/s/ Florence S. Douglas, Sec'y

## LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN

Probate Court for the County of Crawford

Estate of Ernest Van Patten, deceased.

It is Ordered that on December 29th, 1971, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom Grayling, Michigan a hearing be held at which time all creditors of decedent are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn statements of their claims with the Court and serve a copy on Marjorie Hildebrand, Executrix, P. O. Box 523, Grayling, Michigan 49738, prior to or at the time of such hearing, and for determination of heirs.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

Dated: October 18, 1971.

/s/ Emil L. Kraus  
Judge of Probate

Nelson A. Miles  
Attorney for Executrix  
P.O. Box 303  
Grayling, Michigan 28-4-11

## LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN

Probate Court for the County of Crawford

Estate of Flossie May Short, deceased.

It is Ordered that on November 15, 1971, at 11:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom Grayling, Michigan a hearing be held at which time all creditors of decedent are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn statements of their claims with the Court and serve a copy on Marjorie R. Hildebrand, Executrix, P. O. Box 523, Grayling, Michigan 49738, prior to or at the time of such hearing, and for determination of heirs.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by statute and Court Rule.

Dated: October 27, 1971.

/s/ Emil L. Kraus  
Judge of Probate

Menmuir & Zimmerman  
Attorney for Petitioner  
122 West State St.  
Traverse City, Michigan 28-4-11

## LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN

Probate Court for the County of Crawford

Estate of Waldo O. Hildebrand, deceased.

It is Ordered that on Friday, November 19, 1971, at 11:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom Grayling, Michigan a hearing be held at which time all creditors of decedent are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn statements of their claims with the Court and serve a copy on Marjorie R. Hildebrand, Executrix, P. O. Box 523, Grayling, Michigan 49738, prior to or at the time of such hearing, and for determination of heirs.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by statute and Court Rule.

Dated: October 27, 1971.

/s/ Emil L. Kraus  
Judge of Probate

MacLean, Seaman,  
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## NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Board of Crawford County Commissioners will accept sealed bids in their office at 320 State Street, Grayling, Michigan, until 10:00 a.m., Nov. 19, 1971 for two (2) to four (4) Ton pickup trucks and one (1) 4 Ton truck.

Specifications may be obtained at the Road Commission of free in Grayling. Trades ins to be considered.

The Commission reserves the right to reject any or all bids, waive any defects and accept the proposal which they consider to be in the best interest of Crawford County.

All bids must be marked as to contents.

R. E. Shook, Chairman  
Ervin E. Richter, Member  
Harold T. Johnson, Member

To be published in the Crawford County Avalanche, Nov. 4 and 11, 1971.

Accounts receivable	\$ 6,274	4,874
Less allowance for doubtful accounts	1,400	
Taxes receivable	\$ 15,790	6,328
Less allowance for uncollectible taxes	500	16,290
Land contracts receivable		
Due from other funds:		
Major Streets Fund	\$ 23,222	
Local Streets Fund	3,023	
Water and Sewer Fund	45,739	71,984
Prepaid insurance		8,051
Deferred charges applicable to future budget appropriations	43,443	
Long-term advance to Water and Sewer Fund	112,500	
Municipal garage equipment - at cost, less accumulated depreciation of \$20,498		10,477
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>		<b>\$347,911</b>

<b>LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY</b>	
Liabilities:	
Accounts payable	\$ 11,592
Accrued salaries and wages	5,178
Accrued and withheld payroll taxes	4,975
Employer's Christmas fund deductions	1,780
Accrued interest	685
Accrued vacation pay	5,496
Notes payable	50,007
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$ 79,693</b>

<b>FUND EQUITY</b>	
Balance at July 1, 1970	\$218,917
Excess of revenues over expenses for the year	39,718
Restatement of Cemetery Fund within the General Fund	9,583
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY</b>	<b>\$347,911</b>

## STATEMENT OF REVENUES AND EXPENSES GENERAL FUND - CITY OF GRAYLING Year Ended June 30, 1971

	Actual	Budget
<b>REVENUES</b>		
Property taxes	\$128,538	\$127,000
Fees, interest and penalties	4,178	3,000
Parking meters and penalties	8,512	8,500
State-collected revenues:		
Alcoholic beverage licenses	2,911	3,000
Retail sales tax	27,563	22,000
State income tax	3,250	8,500
Intangible tax	2,519	
Airport	1,850	
Cemetery	5,226	2,850
District court fines	148	
Building rentals	4,451	4,296
Interest on water and sewer loan	1,778	900
Insurance claim	3,375	3,500
Refuse disposal fees	34,458	
Fire protection fees	8,031	2,500
Permits and other charges	7,500	6,000
Miscellaneous	343	250
	2,497	250
<b>TOTAL REVENUES</b>	<b>\$253,128</b>	<b>\$192,346</b>

EXPENSES:		
General government	\$ 68,152	\$ 67,773
Public safety	57,503	54,535
Sidewalk maintenance	587	2,000
Industrial park	9,344	
Street lights	8,551	9,300
Parking lots	5-8	1,500
Cemetery	7,650	7,850
Sanitary land fill	8,723	8,261
Recreation and parks	250	1,945
Municipal garage	23,814	12,662
Contributions to other funds	14,177	14,292
Miscellaneous	14,111	18,850

EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES (EXPENSES OVER REVENUES) \$ 39,718 (\$ 6,622)

See notes to financial statements.

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - GENERAL FUND CITY OF GRAYLING Year Ended June 30, 1971

NOTE A: Notes payable at June 30, 1971 consist of the following:

Chattel mortgage payable to bank, 4% collateralized by diesel loader and sweeper

23 monthly payments of \$245.00 last monthly payment due June 27, 1973

\$ 5,635

210 \$ 5,845

Chattel mortgage payable to bank, 5% collateralized by fire truck, monthly payments of \$302.00, including interest

Land contracts, collateralized by real property purchased thereof, annual payments of \$15,688 plus interest at 7%

12,784

31,378

\$ 50,007

NOTE B: The City of Grayling issued \$210,000 of general obligation bonds on October 1, 1970. These bonds are secured by the full faith, credit and resources of the City and shall be retired with funds received from an annual tax levy imposed for that purpose. The outstanding bonded debt, related to this issue, at June 30, 1971 was \$210,000 (interest at 4.9 - 7%).

NOTE C: The City has additional general obligation bonded debt of \$26,000. This issue is to be repaid from the net revenues of the General Fund at the rate of two annual payments of \$3,000 and five annual payments of \$4,000 with interest at 3%.

## BALANCE SHEETS - AGENCY FUND CITY OF GRAYLING - JUNE 30, 1971

ASSETS

Cash	\$ 182
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TOTAL ASSETS \$ 182

LIABILITIES

Crawford A/Sable School District	\$ 108
Crawford City	58
COOR Intermediate School District	6
Kirtland Community College	10

TOTAL LIABILITIES \$ 182

## CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS GENERAL OBLIGATION DEBT SERVICE FUND CITY OF GRAYLING - JUNE 30, 1971

	1968	1970
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Cash at July 1, 1970 \$ .- \$ .-

Transfers from other funds 3,885 6,800

Cash available 3,885 6,800

Payment of bonds (3,000) -

Interest (885) (6,800)

Cash at July 30, 1971 \$ .- \$ .-

## BALANCE SHEETS - STREET FUNDS CITY OF GRAYLING - JUNE 30, 1971

	Major Streets Fund	Local Streets Fund
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ASSETS

Cash	\$ 3,113	729
Intangible receivable		2,270

TOTAL ASSETS \$ 3,113 \$ 2,999

LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY

Due to General Fund	\$ 23,222	3,023
Intangible payable	2,270	
Fund equity	(22,379)	(24)

TOTAL LIABILITIES & FUND EQUITY \$ 3,113 \$ 2,999

## STATEMENTS OF REVENUE AND EXPENSES STREET FUNDS - CITY OF GRAYLING Year Ended June 30, 1971

	Major Streets Fund	Local Streets Fund
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REVENUES

Gasoline and weight taxes	\$ 20,956	19,318
Trunkline maintenance	4,639	
Transfer from General Fund	2,565	7,927
Other	134	

TOTAL REVENUES \$ 28,114 \$ 18,245

EXPENSES

Administrative charges from General Fund	\$ 5,376	2,383
Construction	11,000	
Routine maintenance of streets	22,006	15,886
Routine maintenance of trunklines	2,630	
Trunkline traffic services	880	
Engineering costs	9,236	

TOTAL EXPENSES \$ 51,128 \$ 18,269

EXCESS OF EXPENSES OVER REVENUES \$(23,014) \$ (24)

## BALANCE SHEET - WATER AND SEWER FUND CITY OF GRAYLING - JUNE 30, 1971

ASSETS

Cash - undesignated	\$ 11,806
Cash designated for:	
Bond redemption and interest	\$ 13,350
Construction	124,153
Certificates of deposit designated for:	
Operation and maintenance	\$ 5,000
Replacements	6,000
Bond reserve	10,000
Accounts receivable:	
Billed water and sewer	\$ 19,128
Water and sewer bills added to property tax rolls	1,008
Sundry charges	1,532
Less allowance for uncollectible accounts	\$ 21,668
	900
Due from Debt Retirement Fund	
Property, plant and equipment:	
Land	\$ 851
Buildings, equipment and services	\$682,656
Less accumulated depreciation	182,489
	500,167
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$698,885</b>

LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY

Construction accounts payable	\$ 83,506
Consumers' deposits	1,338
Accrued interest payable	8,360
Due to General Fund	45,739
Long-term advance from General Fund	112,500
Revenue bonds payable	290,000
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$541,443</b>

Fund equity:

Balance at July 1, 1970	\$148,918
Excess of revenue over expenses for the year	8,734
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## STATEMENT OF REVENUES AND EXPENSES WATER AND SEWER FUND - CITY OF GRAYLING Year Ended June 30, 1971

	Actual	Budget
<b>OPERATING REVENUES:</b>		
Water and sewer sales	\$ 80,355	\$ 72,000
Hydrant rental	7,900	7,900
Other income	195	
<b>TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES</b>	<b>\$ 88,450</b>	<b>\$ 79,900</b>

Customer service	192	400
Equipment rental	1,272	1,000
Water tank maintenance	2,015	3,000
	<u>\$ 13,252</u>	<u>\$ 13,443</u>
Sewer plant:		
Salaries and wages	\$ 8,986	\$ 11,202
Repairs and maintenance	1,097	1,813
Laboratory supplies		900
Utilities	2,180	1,900
Chemicals	2,045	2,300
Equipment rental	1,978	1,600
Waste treatment	2,775	3,500

Sanitary sewers:

Salaries and wages	\$ 2,944	\$ 3,190
Supplies	347	1,200
Customer service	464	800
Equipment rental	688	2,000
Sewer cleaning	1,765	1,500
	\$ 6,188	\$ 8,790

Administration:

Salaries	\$ 5,258	\$ 10,227
Meter reading	775	500
Office supplies	152	600
Payroll taxes	1,373	1,300
Data processing	511	650
Telephone	210	100
Travel		300
Insurance		500
	\$ 8,279	\$ 14,727

Depreciation - straight-line

	\$ 16,052	\$ -
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TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES \$ 68,379 \$ 67,143

NET OPERATING REVENUES \$ 20,071 \$ 12,757

OTHER INCOME (EXPENSES):

Interest income	\$ 5,412	\$ -
Interest on General Fund advance	(3,375)	3,300
Interest and paying agent fees on revenue bonds	(13,374)	(16,530)
<b>NET OTHER EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$11,337</b>	<b>\$19,550</b>

EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES (EXPENSES OVER REVENUES) \$ 8,734 \$ 6,811

See notes to financial statements.

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS WATER AND SEWER FUND - CITY OF GRAYLING Year Ended June





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**PORK & GRAVY 49¢**

FAMO — 2-LB.  
**PANCAKE MIX 39¢**

LOG CABIN — 24-OZ.  
**PANCAKE SYRUP 49¢**

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**Tomato 3 cans \$1.00 JUICE**

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BANQUET  
**POT PIES 3-for 49¢**

**BIRDSEYE 9-oz. 29¢ AWAKE**

Rhodes lb-loaf  
**Bread DOUGH 12¢**

**GOLDEN RIPE 10¢ lb BANANAS**

Wilson's Chocolate  
**MILK qt. 27¢**

BANQUET 2-for  
**CREAM PIES 49¢**

FROZEN  
**Ocean PERCH 49¢ lb**

**Whole or Half 69¢ lb Pork Loins**

SWIFT'S  
**SLICED BACON lb. 59¢**

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## BOWLING LEAGUES

American - 1st Div.

1. Bear Archery 23½
2. Grayling Merc. 21½
3. Tarpon Ind. 20
4. Jarmin Ins. 19½
5. Uncle Al 18½
6. Clair's Stand. 16
7. Clark Super 13
8. Rochette's Party 12
- High series: D. Canfield, 627; P. Junttila, 614; J. Kolka, 584.
- High game: P. Junttila, 234; D. Canfield, 232; J. Kolka, 215.

American League - 2nd Div.

1. Grayling Dist. 21½
2. Johns Super 100 21
3. Union 76 20
4. Millikin Const. 20
5. C. F. Pick, Dist. 20
6. Parker Surveying 18
7. Moose Legion 12½
8. Gray-Lee Judo Club 12
- High series: Norm Parker, 579; R. Golinick, 555; F. Reichelderfer, 537.
- High game: D. Millikin, 229; M. McNamara, 228; D. Tasson, 213.

National League - 1st Div.

1. Dons Tires 30
2. Bear Archery 22
3. City of Grayling 22
4. Lees Venders 17
5. Lovely Real Estate 16
6. Tarpon Industries 15
7. Grayling State Bank 15
8. Scheer Motors 11
- High series: D. Lott, 573; D. Canfield, 572; R. Case, 567.
- High game: R. Case, 241; L. LaMotte, 223; P. Junttila, 213.

National - 2nd Div.

1. Rays Canoes 25
2. Gen. Tel. Co. 20½
3. R & H Sport 20
4. Gilberts Penguin 19
5. Legion Lanes 17½
6. Caid's Grocery 17
7. AuSable Manistee 15
8. Sams Auto Parts 12
- High series: B. Reichelderfer, 559; D. MacLean, 553; L. Molnar, 547.
- High game: L. Molnar, 247; C. Morrison, 220; D. MacLean, 203.

Pioneer League

1. Vita Boy 23
2. Packard Electric 23
3. Cornell's 22
4. Sorenson's 20
5. Dawson's 17
6. Al's Gal's 17
7. Avalanche 14
8. Fred Bear Museum 8
- High series: Betty Worden, 557; Jean Arwood, 492; Shirley Linendoll, 479.
- High game: Jean Arwood, 201; Betty Worden, 198; Bev Wells, 179.

Recreation League

1. Bay City Times 26
2. Olson's 26
3. Recreational 19½
4. Grayling State Bank 19
5. Bill's Laundry 16
6. Culligan Soft Water 16
7. Lovells Bar 16
8. Pioneer Room 14
9. Legion Lounge 14
10. AuSable Hotel 14
11. Dingman's Tavern 14
12. R & H Sport Center 13
13. Glen's Market 13
14. Wag-On-Inn 13
15. Ski Whiz Snowmobiles 12
16. Rochettes 8½
- High series: Ellen Gierke, 496; Sandy Korhonen, 485; Edna Howlett, 478.
- High game: Ellen Gierke, 193; Connie Stampfly, 183; Edna Howlett, 182.

Northwood League

1. Bill Hart Ford 20
2. Top O' Michigan 19
3. Bear Archery Co. 19
4. Millikin's Const. 18
5. Bob's Car Wash 15½
6. Frank's Gray Bay 15½
7. Rosie's Gals 11
8. Ben Franklin 10
- High series: Lois Bendig, 478; Betty Helsel, 476; Edna Howlett, 458.
- High game: Lois Bendig, 189; Loy Lee and Frances Barclay, 186; Shirley Fender, 176.

Sunday Mixed Doubles

1. Big Wheel 24
2. Colonial Interior 24
3. Luzerne Annex 20
4. Grayling Vending 18
5. Frederic General 16
6. Deckers Fix It 15
7. Beaver Bend Lodge 14
8. Moose 13
- High series, men: L. Molnar, 546; S. Tasson, 503; B. Reichelderfer, 484.
- High game, men: L. Molnar, 202; H. King, 188; W. LaMotte, 183.
- High series, women: L. Tobin, 469; B. Canfield, 433; E. Helsel, 427.
- High game, women: E. Helsel, 176; M. Lippard, 175; L. Tobin and B. Foster, 172.

Triangle League

1. Bear Mt. Lounge 21
2. Goldies Poodle Salon 20
3. Hatts Motel 17
4. Legion Lanes 16
5. Glen's Market #1 15
6. Miller Hardware 15
7. Wag-On-Inn 13
8. Glen's Market #2 11
- High series: Dale Hatt, 602; Bill Reichelderfer, 563; Denny Freeman, 526.
- High game: Denny Freeman, 224; Dale Hatt, 211; Tom Otto, 199.

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## BITS O' TALK

Miss Sue Hummel of Ferris College in Big Rapids spent Saturday last visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Hummel and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Borchers.

Jane Pettengill and Mary Ann Gothro were home from Michigan State over the weekend visiting their respective parents the Dale Pettengills and Mrs. Don Gothro and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Benedict and family of Alpena spent from Friday till Sunday weekend before last visiting her parents, the Oscar Borchers.

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Mr. and Mrs. Earl Broadbent spent from Monday till Friday of week before last visiting in the southern part of the State. They visited his two sisters, Mrs. Archie Brown and Mrs. Leon Huey in Jackson. They also visited his aunt, Elsie Stringer of Hastings, who he hasn't seen in 62 years. Elsie is now 83 years old. They stopped in Lansing and spent a night with two of his nieces also.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. William Hoy were her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Davey of Calumet.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Broadbent called on their daughter, Mrs. Marge Widrig in Gaylord on Wednesday of last week.

The Webelos Scout group enjoyed a cookout at the canoe campground last Friday evening. The boys going were Doug MacLean, Lonnie Myers, Pete Schichtel, Brian Rettell, Mark Whaley, Scott Norman, Calvin Jones, John Petersen, David Bendig, Mike Jurkovich, Mitchell Linendoll, Woody Sherman and Kent Denton, with Webelos leader Leroy Retell and helper Joe Schichtel. The boys are changing their meeting nights from Friday to Monday evening at the Michelson Methodist Church and will have a new Webelos leader, Phil Glover.

Mrs. Lacey Stephan Sr. returned home Wednesday after having spent some time visiting Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hanna in Traverse City.

Mr. and Mrs. Reggie Ashton and daughters, Lynda and Karyn, of Bridgeport spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Tony Gross, and also visited her sister and family, the Lary Gusts.

Gene and Clarence Papendick, Ray Pease and Time Millikin returned home Saturday from a three week hunting trip spent at Thornton Ranch, Ohio City, Colo. They all filled their licenses.

Mrs. Eugene Papendick and Mrs. Beatrice Gehring spent five days recently visiting Mr. and Mrs. Victor Papendick and family in Gurnee, Ill. They were in Traverse City last Saturday.

Sigurd Johnson of Saginaw spent Sunday visiting his mother, Mrs. Algot Johnson.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wilkins were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James VanBrandt and family of Ottawa Lake.

## River Economy

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region. This is especially true when it is not necessary. With the proper kind of enabling legislation we can protect both the river and the economy.

Man is part of the ecosystem. Economics is a part of man's life. Any environmental plan excluding man is destined to failure.

A third type of permit is suggested for those who wish to bring their own canoe to use on the AuSable. The number is based on about the present percentage of out of area canoes using the river.

Continuous monitoring of the river, its condition and user conflict is suggested and the number of permits issued adjusted as studies indicate the need.

## Deer Hunting

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significant increase in hunter success. As a matter of fact, the entire region's antlerless deer permit quota was cut about in half this year, with most of the reduction pinpointed at its southern areas.

That move was taken in hopes of building up whitetail numbers in those areas which show a better balance between the deer herd and the carrying capacity of the animals' range, explains Arnold.

As a rule, the state's buck kill is also lowered when antlerless deer quotas are cut back and that being the case, Arnold looks for some downturn in northern Lower Michigan's take of antlered animals this season.

He believes that the Monday opener will also tone down the region's entire deer harvest because it probably will lighten hunting pressure during the first three days of the season when the largest percentage of the animals is normally taken.

On this point, Arnold anticipates that a larger-than-normal number of hunters will wait until the first weekend of the season to swing into action. "By that time," he notes, "deer will be a lot more wary than they are when the shooting starts."

Announce Engagement



Mr. and Mrs. Roger Kneff of Grayling and Carrollton, Texas announce the engagement of their daughter, Laurie Ann, to Larry Green of Carrollton. Mr. Green is presently attending North Texas State University. The wedding date is indefinite at this time.

## KIRTLAND BOARD MEETING NOV. 11

The November regular meeting of the Kirtland Community College Board of Trustees will be held one week earlier than usual — Thursday, November 11, 1971 — 8:00 p.m. on campus in the Board Conference Room, Learning Resources Center.

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